

**To:** Dermer, Michele[Dermer.Michele@epa.gov]  
**From:** Montgomery, Michael  
**Sent:** Fri 7/31/2015 5:04:51 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Elk Hills Power Aquifer Exemption Application for Class 1 UIC

thanks

**From:** Dermer, Michele  
**Sent:** Friday, July 31, 2015 9:54 AM  
**To:** Montgomery, Michael; Moffatt, Brett; Engelman, Alexa  
**Cc:** Albright, David  
**Subject:** FW: Elk Hills Power Aquifer Exemption Application for Class 1 UIC

I had several calls and emails from Elk Hills Power – CRC. This is my conversation yesterday, fyi.

**From:** Dermer, Michele  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 30, 2015 3:40 PM  
**To:** Pineda, Sonnie T  
**Cc:** McWhirter, Lisa; Albright, David  
**Subject:** RE: Elk Hills Power Aquifer Exemption Application for Class 1 UIC

Hi Sonnie,

Thanks for your call earlier. Let me summarize what we discussed about each task:

- Regarding the AE package, we are still reviewing it. I do not have any specific questions about it at this time.
- Regarding the conversion of the Class I permit to Class II, this is likely not going to be a solution. As I understand it, DOGGR is currently conducting a project by project review and as part of that, they have indicated to us preliminarily that they are considering referring these wells to EPA for Class I permitting.

- Regarding the UIC application, I suggested you contact me the week of August 10. I am hoping to have some more concrete feedback for you regarding the AE package upon which the application is based.

Thanks again, and let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michele

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**From:** Pineda, Sonnie T [<mailto:Sonnie.Pineda@crc.com>]

**Sent:** Tuesday, July 28, 2015 9:04 AM

**To:** Dermer, Michele

**Subject:** RE: Elk Hills Power Aquifer Exemption Application for Class 1 UIC

Michele,

Good morning, I wanted to talk to you to ask you about the status of our AE application, as well as the Class 1 possibility to convert to class 2 of EHP waste water due to EHP Changed from IPP

to Cogen; and lastly, the permit application to drill the new well on 1B and 2B location.

If you have a chance to call me or let me know when is the best time to call you today so we could talk.

Thanks,

**Sonnie T. Pineda**

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